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1. BEGIN SUMMARY: MONGOLIA, MOROCCO, ROMANIA AND MEXICO MADE INTERVENTIONS AT TODAY' S PLENARY. MONGOLIAN REP STATED THAT ( A) CW IS OF HIGHEST PRIORITY FOR HIS GOVT, ( B) ANY NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT MEASURE WILL HAVE FULL EFFECT ONLY WHEN ALL NUCLEAR POWERS PARTICIPATE, AND ( C) CCD SHOULD DEVOTE SEVERAL INFORMAL MEETINGS TO WDC SPECIAL COMMITTEE. MOROCCO CALLED ON US FOR CONCRETE CW PROPOSAL, OPPOSED DISCUSSION OF CONVENTIONAL ARMS IN CCD, AND SAID IT WAS PREPARED TO PARTICIPATE AT ANY TIME IN WORK OF WDC SPECIAL COMMITTEE. ROMANIA GAIN ENUMERATED LONG LIST OF POSSIBLE ITEMS FOR CCD CONSIDERATION. MEXICO TABLED STATEMENT ON CONCERN OF NONALIGNED DELS ( MINUS ARGENTINA, BRAZIL, INDIA, AND PAKISTAN) ON LACK OF PROGRESS IN CCD ( SEPTEL). END SUMMARY.

2. DUGERSUREN ( MONGOLIA) STATED MONGOLIAN DELEGATION ACCORDED HIGHEST PRIORITY TO PROBLEM OF PROHIBITING MEANS OF WAGING CHEMICAL WARFARE. HE CALLED UPON COMMITTEE TO ENGAGE IN CONCRETE NEGOTIATIONS WITH A VIEW TO WORKING OUT TEXT OF AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT. AFTER NOTING THAT SOCIALIST DRAFT CONVENTION OF 1972 COULD SERVE AS AN INITIAL BASIS FOR NEGOTIATIONS, DUGERSUREN OBSERVED THAT SOME LEADING WESTERN POWERS " WHICH HAD CHOSEN TO RESORT TO AN OFF- HAND REJECTION OF SOCIALIST DRAFT" HAD NOT COME FORWARD WITH POSITIVE PROPOSALS OF THEIR OWN.

3. ON NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT, DUGERSUREN SAID THAT MONGOLIAN DELEGATION JOINS THOSE REPRESENTATIVES " WHO HAVE POINTED TO NEED TO SECURE THE PARTICIPATION OF ALL NUCLEAR POWERS IN NEGOTIATIONS ON DISARMAMENT IN THE INTEREST OF MAKING FURTHER PROGRESS." EFFICACY OF MEASURES OF NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT WILL BE DEPENDENT ON DEGREE OF PARITICPATION OF ALLSTATES, FIRST OF ALL, THE NUCLEAR WEAPON STATES. HOWEVER, MONGOLIA DID NOT WANT TO CREATE " FALSE IMPRESSION" THAT ITS GOVERNMENT UNDERESTIMATED NEED FOR BRINGING ABOUT SUCH MEASURES, SUCH AS PROHIBITION OF UNDERGROUND NUCLEAR TESTS, WHICH COULD LIMIT NUCLEAR ARMS RACE, ESPECIALLY QUALITATIVE DEVELOPMENT OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS.

4. DUGERSUREN SUPPORTED EARLY MEETING OF WDC SPECIAL COMMITTEE AND URGED CCD TO DEVOTE ONE OR TWO UNOFFICIAL MEETINGS TO THAT
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QUESTION.

5. KHATTABI ( MOROCCO) SAID THAT SALT APART, THERE HAD BEEN NO REAL PROGRESS ON NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT SINCE 1963. HE TOOK POSITION THERE WAS EVERY REASON TO BELIEVE THAT ISSUES OF VERIFICATION AND ON-SITE INSPECTIONS WERE ONLY PRETEXTS TO BLOCK SOLUTION TO UNDERGROUND TESTING. HE INDICATED CONCERN ABOUT AMB ROSHCHIN' S REMARKS OF FEB 20 ON PARTICIPATION OF NUCLEAR POWERS IN A CTB AND

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ASKED SOVIETS FOR CLARIFICATION. HE SUPPORTED JAPAN' S CALL FOR IN-
FORMAL CCD MEETING OF SEISMOLOGISTS. KHATTABI NOTED THAT SUCH
A MEETING COULD CLARIFY CTB SITUATION AND REQUIRE US AND USSR TO
ASSUME THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES TO UN AND MANKIND.

6. KHATTABI NOTED THAT RESERVATIONS OF CERTAIN STATES ON ADHERING
TO 1925 PROTOCOL AND REFUSAL OF ONE GREAT POWER TO ADHERE AT ALL
HAD WEAKENED THAT AGREEMENT, LEADING TO USE OF CW IN SEVERAL
MILITARY CONFLICTS. THUS, HE SAID IT WAS OF UTMOST IMPORTANCE TO
DEVELOP AGREEMENT ON PRODUCTION AND STOCKPILING OF CW. HE CALLED ON
US BY NAME, FOR AN INITIATIVE IN FORM OF AMENDMENTS TO SOCIALIST
DRAFT CONVENTION OR SUBMISSION OF A NEW TREATY DRAFT. HE REPEATED
HIS STATEMENT OF LAST YEAR THAT MOROCCO WOULD NOT PARTICIPATE IN
FURTHER DISCUSSIONS ON CW EXCEPT THOSE FOCUSED ON CONCRETE
PROPOSALS.

7. KHATTABI SAID MOROCCO DOES NOT AT ALL FAVOR DISCUSSION OF
CONVENTIONAL ARMS IN CCD, SINCE ITS FINAL SOLUTION IS POSSIBLE ONLY
IN GLOBAL FRAMEWORK OF GENERAL AND COMPLETE DISARMAMENT. FUR-
THERMORE THESE ARMS ARE CLOSELY LINKED TO SECURITY, INDEPENDENCE,
AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF A GOOD NUMBER OF NON- NUCLEAR STATES.

8. MOROCCO FAVORS CONVENING OF WDC WITH PARTICIPATION OF ALL STATES
INCLUDING FIVE NUCLEAR POWERS. AS FOR SPECIAL COMMITTEE, KHATTABI
SAID MOROCCO HAD BEEN NAMED TO IT AND WAS PREPARED TO PARTICIPATE
AT ANY TIME. HE POINTED OUT, HOWEVER, IT WAS UP TO SYG TO CON-
VOKE SPECIAL COMMITTEE AFTER ADEQUATE CONSULTATION WITH STATES
CONCERNED.

9. ENE ( ROMANIA) DREW DISCOURAGING PICTURE OF CCD ACHIEVEMENTS.
CCD, HE SAID, HAD MORE AND MORE LOST ITS PERSPECTIVE NOTWITHSTAND-
ING IMPORTANCE OF PARTIAL AGREEMENTS IT HAD ACHIEVED. HE ASSOCIATED
HIS DELEGATION WITH MEMORANDUM OF NON- ALIGNED EIGHT PRESENTED AT
SAME SESSION. HE URGED AGAIN THAT SUCH QUESTIONS AS NUCLEAR FREE
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ZONES INCLUDING IN THE BALKANS; ELIMINATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS;
FREEZING AND REDUCTION OF MILITARY BUDGETS; NON- USE OF NUCLEAR
WEAPONS; AND SECURITY GUARANTEES FOR NON- NUCLEAR STATES BE DIS-
CUSSED AT CCD ALONG WITH GENERAL AND COMPLETE DISARMAMENT. HE
SUPPORTED EFFECTIVE MEASURES PROHIBITING CHEMICAL WEAPONS BUT FELT
THAT SUCH NEGOTIATIONS SHOULD BE INTEGRATED INTO EFFORTS TO
ELIMINATE ALL FORMS OF WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION, AMONG WHICH
NUCLEAR ARMS SHOULD ENJOY AN ABSOLUTE PRIORITY.

10. ENE SUPPORTED THE CONVENING OF A WDC BUT ( PRESUMABLY OUT OF
CONCERN FOR PRC SENSITIVITIES) FAILED- ALONE OF SOCIALIST STATES
WHO HAVE SPOKEN TO DATE- TO MAKE ANY REFERENCE TO WDC SPECIAL
COMMITTEE.

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11. NEXT PLENARY MEETING, TUESDAY, MARCH 20, DECLASSIFY MAR 20, 1974. RIMESTAD

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